BlackRock iShares Japan Equity Index Class D Acc



Benchmark

Benchmark	FTSE Custom Japan Net of Tax Mid Day
Benchmark Category	-
IA Sector	Japan

Identification Codes

Sedol Code	B6QQ9X9
Mex Code	MYKAAT
Isin Code	GB00B6QQ9X96
Citi Code	G6IB

Fund Overview

Mid (17/05/2024)	304.90p
Historic yield	2.05%
Fund size (31/03/2024)	£3017.93m
Number of holdings	506
Ongoing Charges	0.08%
Launch date	29/06/2012

Fund Charges

Entry Charge	0.00%
Ongoing Charges	0.08%

Fund Background

Daily
12:00
Unit Trust
£1.00
Pound Sterling
United Kingdom
Yes
Yes

Dealing

Minimum Investment	£100000
Minimum Top Up	£100
Minimum Regular Saving	-
Settlement Period: Buy	3 days
Settlement Period: Sell	3 days
Pricing Basis	Forward
Dealing Decimals	3

Distribution Dates

Ex dividend date(s)	Income payment date(s)
01 March	30 April
01 September	31 October

Aims

The aim of the Fund is to seek to achieve capital growth for investors by tracking closely the performance of the FTSE Japan Index by investing in companies in the Index. Investment will be made directly into constituent companies and via other transferable securities giving exposure to such companies. The Fund may also invest in permitted money market instruments, permitted deposits, and units in collective investment schemes. Derivatives and forward transactions may be used for the purposes of efficient portfolio management.

Performance



Discrete performance - to last month end

	30/04/19 to 30/04/20	30/04/20 to 30/04/21	30/04/21 to 30/04/22	30/04/22 to 30/04/23	30/04/23 to 30/04/24
Fund	0.2%	18.0%	-4.5%	5.3%	17.8%
Sector	-0.1%	21.5%	-6.8%	4.8%	14.4%
Rank	34/93	71/93	40/98	42/101	54/102
Quartile	2	4	2	2	3

Annualised performance

		Annualised		
	3 Years to 30/04/24	5 Years to 30/04/24	10 Years to 30/04/24	
Fund	5.8%	7.0%	9.8%	
Sector	3.8%	6.3%	9.4%	
Rank	45/98	43/93	27/68	
Quartile	2	2	2	

Fund Managers



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Portfolio data accurate as at: 31/03/24

Top 10 Holdings

Name	% Weight	Sector	Country
1 TOYOTA MOTOR CORPORATION	6.37%	Automobiles & Parts	Japan
2 TOKYO ELECTRON LIMITED	2.41%	Technology Hardware & Equipment	Japan
3 MITSUBISHI UFJ FINANCIAL GROUP	2.39%	Banks	Japan
4 SONY CORP	2.23%	Leisure Goods	Japan
5 KEYENCE CORPORATION	1.91%	Electronic & Electrical Equipment	Japan
6 MITSUBISHI CORPORATION	1.85%	General Industrials	Japan
7 SHIN-ETSU CHEMICAL CO.	1.76%	Chemicals	Japan
8 HITACHI	1.70%	General Industrials	Japan
9 MITSUI SUMITOMO INSURANCE CO.	1.55%	Banks	Japan
10 MITSUI & CO.	1.44%	Industrial Support Services	Japan

Asset Allocation



Equity Sector Breakdown

Industrials	24.34%
Consumer Discretionary	22.77%
Financials	12.04%
Technology	11.74%
Health Care	7.01%
Consumer Staples	5.56%
Basic Materials	5.05%
Other Sectors	11.48%

Breakdown By Market Cap (%)

Mega	51.60%
Large	29.00%
Medium	15.56%
Small	0.24%
Non-Classified	1.52%
Cash	2.08%

Regional Allocation



Top Country Breakdown

Japan	96.54%
Cash and Equivalents	2.08%
Direct Property and REITs	0.95%
Non-Classified	0.43%

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